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*In re* Application of:  
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SPECIFIC RECOMBINATION

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## PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)

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This petition is a request under 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c) to withdraw from issue the captioned application in order to expressly abandon the application to permit consideration of an information disclosure statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 in a continued examination. The requisite petition fee of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) is attached hereto.

Applicant's representatives have now received art that was unknown to applicant prior to payment of the issue fee.

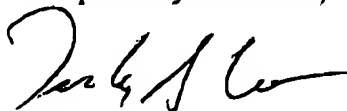
Applicant therefore requests withdrawal of issue of the captioned application in order to have this newly received art considered by the Examiner in a request for continued examination according to 37 C.F.R. 1.114.

Attached hereto is a request for continued examination according to 37 C.F.R. 1.114 and the requisite filing fee of \$740.00 according to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e). The request includes an express abandonment of the parent application.

The present papers are filed by facsimile. The information disclosure statement and attached references are being filed under separate cover because the size of the information disclosure statement makes filing by facsimile impractical.

Favorable consideration of this petition and withdrawal of the captioned application from issue are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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